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AMENDMENT A

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In response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.